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THE W. JOHN
MACKAY GYMNASIUM
NEARS COMPLETION



STANSTEAD IN THEIR HEARTS

John Mackay has reason to be proud.

As he noted at the official ribbon cutting for the gym that will bear his name, he finds himself in good company. Webster, Colby, Amaron, LeBaron... and now Mackay – families and individuals who have supported Stanstead College in different ways: well-known benefactors of the school and community; a former headmaster who left an indelible mark on an entire generation of schoolchildren; a long-serving board member, generous in time and spirit; and with Mr. Mackay, an alumnus of the school.

What they have in common is that they always kept Stanstead College in their hearts and minds. In Mr. Mackay's case, he came to the school as a young man from the Town of Mount Royal and made this place his home for the next four years, graduating from Grade 11 in 1952. If there was ever an example of someone making the most of his time at Stanstead, it's Mr. Mackay. If



Mike Wolfe with Kuan-Ying 'Rita' Chen 2008 at an alumni gathering in Taipei.

you look at the yearbooks from that period, his fingerprints are all over the school, from drama and class president duties and serving as head boy to actually editing the yearbook itself!

As Mr. Mackay has also noted, Stanstead instilled in him the importance of giving back, something he epitomized long before his most recent act of generosity that will result in a new gym. Mr. Mackay has been an active alumnus, a trustee and a member of the board of directors and is now an honorary trustee. He has also been a sounding board for people like me who look to him for his advice and opinions. In short, John Mackay is a true Spartan.

Besides our story about Homecoming and Mr. Mackay, this issue of the *Red & White* includes several instances of former students keeping Stanstead in their heart. We were thrilled, for example, to have Dr. Akiko (Fujimoto) Watanabe (Class of 1993) speak to the student at this year's Baccalaureate. It was such a pleasure to have her back on campus. With her strong family ties with the College and the path she has led since her departure, it was fascinating for the students and guests to hear about the College experience from an international perspective.

We also have a first-person account from Sarah Birge (2002) who is using what she learned at



Director of Advancement Dugie Ross and Headmaster Michael Wolfe met up with Dale Cooper (2008) at the opening of the Cree Cultural Centre & Museum in Ouje-Bougoumou where he is acting as a guide.

Stanstead to teach teachers in India.

In addition, you'll find a story about the people behind some of our athletic trophies. In most cases, these trophies are named after students who gave their all while they attended Stanstead College. Like naming the gym after John Mackay, it's one of the many ways we thank those who are true to their school.

And how can we forget Georges Beaubien, our outgoing chairman of the board ("outgoing" in both senses of the word)? An alumnus (1968), a trustee going on four decades, and a champion of everything Stanstead, we owe him a great deal of thanks for all he has done and continues to do for our school.

I hope you enjoy this issue of the *Red & White* and keep Stanstead in your heart.

• Mission Statement •

Our mission is to provide students from Canada and around the world with a highly structured and supportive educational program in a small, secure environment. The Stanstead experience helps all students reach their full academic potential in preparation for university, develop healthy and active lifestyles, and understand the importance of respect, responsibility and self-discipline.



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John Mackay, class of 1952, assisted by Headmaster Michael Wolfe and Director of Advancement Dugie Ross, honoured Stanstead College by cutting the ribbon to the new W. John Mackay Gymnasium at this year's Homecoming celebrations. Photo by Barbara Handfield.

NEW TRUSTEES

Darren Gray

Darren attended Stanstead College for Grades 10 to 12, graduating in 2000. After completing his undergrad degree and teaching English in Japan for a year, he returned to Stanstead for two years, where he took on the role of Admissions officer, Math and Statistics teacher and assistant house director of Bugbee. Since then, he has received his M.Sc in Mathematics from McMaster University and now lives in Ottawa with his wife Tara, working as a methodologist at Statistics Canada. Darren's younger brother Jeff also attended Stanstead, and his father David is a member of the College's Board of Directors.



Luc Quirion



Luc is a current Stanstead parent (Catherine, Grade 12; Geneviève, Grade 10). A resident of Lac-Mégantic, Quebec, Luc is currently the regional director (Mauricie - Centre-du-Québec – Lanaudière) for the Fonds régionaux de solidarité FTQ. Prior to this he was VP Administration and VP Restructuring at Shermag in Sherbrooke and has also worked in administration at Polycor and Bestar. He has served on the boards of the Fonds régional de solidarité FTQ Estrie, the Centre d'aide aux entreprises de la région de Mégantic, the Corporation de développement industriel de la région de Mégantic and the Maison régionale de l'industrie. Luc earned his Business degree from Université de Sherbrooke and holds an MBA from York University in Toronto.



Charles Seagram

After graduating from Stanstead College in 1992,



Seated: John Mackay, Luc Quirion, Ian Jackson, Michael Wolfe, Georges Beaubien, Jonathan Cowen, Marie Pier Germain
Standing: David Gray, Charles Seagram, VJ Bala, Rob Perretta, Darren Gray, Robert Archambault, Matt Watt, François Paradis, Catherine Van Der Linden, Michael Peirce, Carl Remillard-Fontaine

Charles took an automotive mechanics course at Rosemont Technology Centre and worked in the automotive field for Subaru, Honda and Volkswagen. He also worked in the private security field, comedy industry and shoe industry prior to earning a certificate in public relations from McGill University in 1996 and his certificate in IT technology from Herzing College in 1998. A recipient of the College's Young Alumni Award, Charles now works at C & C Packing in Montreal as director of logistics and also part-time for YUP Inc. as a brand ambassador.

Matthew Watt

Matthew received his Grade 12 diploma from Stanstead College in 1999, before obtaining a BA in Political Science and History from Mount Allison University. A resident of Montreal, Matthew has worked in federal politics, including for the House Of Commons. In 2011, he founded an immigration law firm that represents hundreds of clients in applying for temporary and permanent residence, serving as president and manager.



MERCI, GEORGES!

During his time as a student at Stanstead College, Georges Beaubien vividly remembers Board chairman Eric Webster “moseying along” the sidelines of the football field, just stopping by to visit, maybe with fellow trustee and later board chair Donald Ross. When he talks about them, he still refers to them as “Uncle Eric” and “Uncle Don.”

“They took such a great interest in the school and just wanted to be here. It was one of the small things that a chairman could do that meant a lot,” he says. “It’s what I’ve modelled myself after.”

Though the name “Uncle Georges” has yet to stick, Georges Beaubien has certainly made Stanstead College part of his family. After graduating in 1968 and studying at Bishop’s and Queen’s, Georges came back to Stanstead, first through the Alumni Association and, starting in 1975, as a trustee. After serving on just about every committee he could, Georges “peaked” by becoming board chairman in 2006.

This past fall, his tenure came to an end, although he remains president of the Council of Trustees and chairman of the capital campaign. In other words, there’s no end in sight for Georges’s involvement at Stanstead.

“It’s a bit of a calling,” he explains. “I got a phone



Georges Beaubien stands in front of the soon-to-be opened W. John Mackay Gymnasium.

call from someone at Bishop’s University and she said, ‘We’d love to have you on board.’ But I thought, what am I going to do there? Working with Stanstead, you can get things done. You can make a difference.”

Georges marvels at just the physical changes that have occurred since his years at Stanstead – new dining hall in his final year, Webster House, the new student centre, new arena, a second gym. The work, he notes, never ends.

“I hope to do even more,” he says.

OVER TO YOU, JONATHAN!

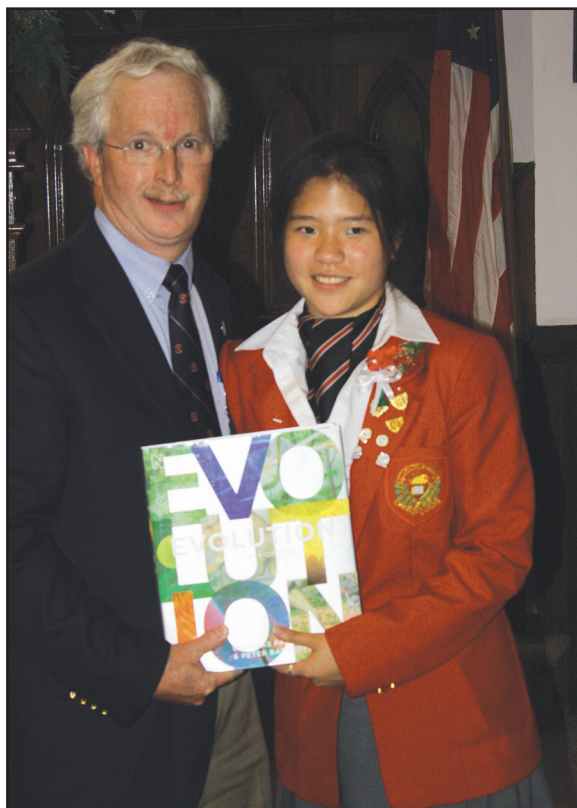
The new chairman of the board, Jonathan Cowen, will be familiar to *Red & White* readers. Over the past several years, Jonathan has chaired the Property Committee and was instrumental in sorting the complicated nuts and bolts of the Pat Burns Arena construction. In fact, when reporters had technical questions, Jonathan was the go-to guy.

An alumnus of the school (1972) and son of longtime trustee Stewart Cowen, Jonathan and his wife Judith have put their own two sons through Stanstead (Jeffrey 2009, Jason 2012). And throughout these years, Jonathan has worked tirelessly in support of his school, in recognition of which he received the Trustees’

Award of Merit in 2009.

After studying at Sir George Williams University and Ryerson

Polytechnical Institute, he began working for A&D Prevost Inc., an architectural aluminum firm in Richelieu, Que. In 1988, he joined the management team as a director and partner in the firm and in June 2003, he became president and CEO. He has also served on the Board of Directors and the Marketing Committee of the Aluminum Anodizers Council, an international non-profit trade association. Jonathan retired in December 2011.



Jonathan Cowen with Tiffany Hsu at Baccalaureate in June.

HOMECOMING 2012: W. JOHN MACKAY GYMNASIUM OFFICIAL RIBBON-CUTTING CEREMONY DRAWS CROWD

"Long live Stanstead College!"

These were the closing words of John Mackay as he addressed the audience during the official ribbon-cutting for the new gymnasium that will bear his name.

Through his gift to the school, Mr. Mackay is single-handedly covering the cost of converting the former Ralph B. Hood Swimming Pool into a second gymnasium, a gift for which he was recognized at the special ceremony at this year's Homecoming, held Saturday, September 29.

Surrounded by friends, alumni, family members, College students and staff, Mr. Mackay (Class of 1952) spoke fondly of his memories of the school, from slipping and sliding in the snow during the Cadet Parade to school dances "where they made sure you didn't dance too closely."

A member of the Stanstead College Council of Trustees from 1990 to 1999 and an honorary trustee ever since, Mr. Mackay has been an active alumnus since he graduated from Grade 11 over 60

years ago.

"Over the years, I have watched headmasters and teachers come and go," he said. "I've seen the student population grow to close to 200, from all over the world. Today, the staff are family, working together, bringing Stanstead to its highest standard in education and sportsmanship to qualify for their ongoing education at universities around the world."

Mr. Mackay was presented a letterman sweater in recognition of his gift, followed by the unveiling of a temporary sign on the outside of the new gym.

"I left my name carved on a beam in an old barn on Willow Lane, reading, 'Jake loves Eleanor,' and now, 60 years later, little did I expect 'W. John Mackay Gymnasium.' Wow! To have my name joining the legacy of Stanstead College that includes the names of Colby, Davis, LeBaron, Amaron and Webster is for me pretty impressive company," he said.

Introducing Mr. Mackay and sharing a few memories of his own was his classmate

Good friend and classmate Bert Titcomb (1951) introduces John Mackay.

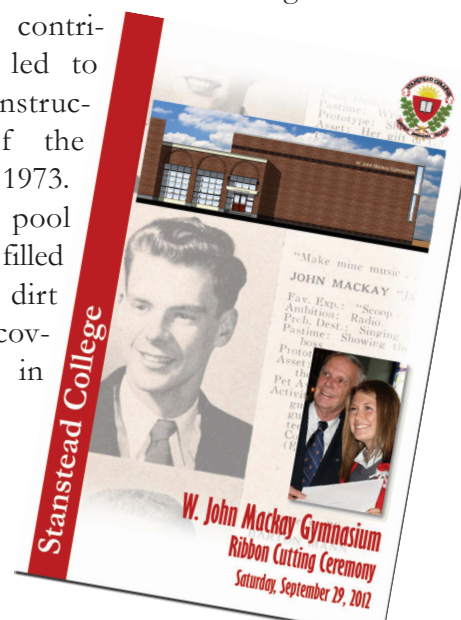


The expression on his face says it all. John looks up to see his name on the outside of the new gym.

Bert Titcomb (1951), who spoke of his good friend's unwavering contact with his Stanstead peers. "If anyone wants to know where a former student is living now, John can usually provide the address," he said.

A cornerstone will be laid at a future date with Mr. Mackay's name. The stone will also recognize the name and legacy of Ralph B. Hood, the American Velcro magnate whose contribution led to the construction of the pool in 1973.

That pool is now filled with dirt and covered in





Dugie Ross and John Mackay pose under the temporary sign.

concrete and a new wood floor installed in preparation for basketball season. With a pricetag of \$1,130,000 (the original pool cost \$400,000 in 1973), the new gym will include maple floors, retractable grandstands, central air conditioning and renovated showers and locker

rooms. The exterior brickwork has also been repaired or replaced and a new garage will be built between the new and existing gym to house the school vehicles.

Other Homecoming highlights included a football game between the victorious Spartans and the visiting Trinity College School, followed in the afternoon by a win by the senior boys soccer squad over BCS. On hand were dozens of students dressed and painted in their team colours.

Following the ribbon-cutting there was a for-fun alumni basketball game, featuring a number of former Spartans (and not just basketball players!) and current students and faculty. Although no score was kept, all on hand determined that the game ended in a tie.

The official event ended with a reception in the Molson-Coors Room at the Pat Burns Arena, which included a group shot of alumni from the 90s (photo below), who had made an extra effort to come out in good numbers this year.

More photos available on Stanstead College's Alumni Facebook page.



Back row: Adam Spirk 1999, Marnie Neufeld 1990, Keri Reynolds 1990, François Paradis 1992, Simon Prieur 1994, Daniel Bergeron 1993, VJ Bala 1994, Michel Debbane 1992, Robert Scobie 1994, Verona Sorensen 1992, Charles Seagram 1992

Middle : Kim Quinn 1993, Corinne Cadou 1992

Front : Martin Beasse 1991, Pascale Debbane 1992, Antoine Leger 1992



1. Jonathan Cowen 1972, Ron Foss 1973, Jim Little 1972, Alex Philip 1957, Bruce MacFarlane 1969, Lindsay Smith 1953, Clément Jacques and Dugie Ross 1970.

2. Gary Hindley 1979, Alex Philip 1957, Philippe Boisvert 1979, Brian Denney 1964 and Monty Allen 1978.

3. Jesse McRae 2002, Janice Wilson 2002 and Rob Retchless 2002.

4. Neil Dickins 1987, Andrew Elliot, Brian Denney 1964, Nicole Bruce 1983, Michael Peirce 1973 and Gary Bruce 1987.

HELPING TEACHERS TEACH IN INDIA



By Sarah Birge, Class of 2002

Sarah speaking with local teachers at a workshop.

Ten years after my 2002 graduation, I find myself thinking about the links between my job and my experiences at Stanstead. I am the co-director of the Nanubhai Education Foundation, based in the small town of Kadod, Gujarat, a large state in Western India. In 2004, Raj Shah visited Kadod, where his father had grown up. In the 1960s and 70s, the local high school had benefited from the leadership of Principal Nanubhaiji Nayik, who had a strong vision of quality education for all children, regardless of caste, tribe or socio-economic background. Inspired by this vision, Raj founded the Nanubhai Education Foundation to promote

Nanubhaiji's vision.

The Nanubhai Education Foundation's focus is on English language education in rural public schools in Gujarat. A majority of students in this area of Gujarat come from "scheduled tribes and scheduled castes," groups which have been historically oppressed



Even a fifth grade classroom can have as many as sixty students!

and have lacked access to education.

Happily, in the past 10 years, India has made great strides in access to education; approximately 98 percent of children in Gujarat are enrolled in school. The next step is focusing on the quality of that education. Without a basic grasp of English, it is very hard for children from rural areas to participate in India's rapidly growing economy. This is where the Nanubhai Education Foundation comes in.

Along with my co-director, Claire Lynn Arthurs, I have created sustainable and practical programs designed to improve local teachers' English teaching skills. Currently, we have several full-time teachers placed in two different partner sites

Photos / Sarah Lou Toscano

in the district. Over the course of their careers, each teacher will impact thousands of students.

The Foundation Program, a series of training workshops, has had significant positive impact on our teachers' language

skills and teaching skills. We are in the process of getting the Gujarat Department of Education and the Tribal Development Department to adopt The Foundation Program. This would empower an entire generation of teachers to deliver high-quality ESL instruction to rural children.

My six years at Stanstead have had a significant impact on my current work. Exposure to so many cultures and languages at a young age has given me a great deal of



Claire and Vibhuti, a Nanubhai teacher, working on a lesson.

cultural sensitivity and flexibility. Without the sort of immersive experience that Stanstead provides, it would have been extremely difficult to adapt to life in a small town in rural India. As well, learning and hearing so many languages at a young age has made it much easier for me to pick up the basics of Gujarati, an invaluable skill.

Finally, seeing my international friends and classmates learn English at Stanstead gave me an innate understanding of what a quality ESL program looks like. While it is an uphill climb to improve English education here in rural India, my vision of equitable education has been deeply informed by my time at Stanstead.

You can now follow the Nanubhai Education Foundation on Facebook and Twitter! For more information about the programs and fundraising events, or to donate, visit www.nanubhai.org, or email Executive Director Nita Nehru at nita@nanubhai.org.

Nanubhai Co-Directors Claire and Sarah posing by the local river.

Photos / Sarah Lou Toscano

2012 HOCKEY SPARTANS IN NATIONAL SPOTLIGHT

Mark Jankowski had hoped for a good NHL pick and he got it. After months of anticipation, the Dundas, Ontario native was picked in the first round of the draft last June, 21st overall, by the Calgary Flames.

The draft came on the eve of Baccalaureate, and his pick was announced to his classmates from the stage of the annual variety show.

In his first game of the season at Providence College, Mark scored the opening goal and added another in the second period to propel the Friars to an 8-2 victory over Sacred Heart.

Sarah Lefort is now in her first year at Boston University, where she has been named Hockey East Rookie of the Week for three



weeks so far this season. The first came after scoring her first two college goals in early October – the tying goal and the game win-

ner in the 4-2 win over Boston College. A week later she scored three goals in two games to help the Terriers pick up wins in their first home games of the season. Her third came at the end of October for her two goals in BU's 3-0 win over Robert Morris.

Sarah was also invited in September to the Canadian National Women's Team camp in Calgary.

CLASS NOTES

1956

Gary Matthews sent greetings from Nanaimo, BC. Known as "Tex" during his time at the College, thanks to his country singing, Gary recently visited Lake Louise with his wife Sandra.



1978

Peter Stewart is living in London, England where he started his own transport business for the music industry in 2004. This was after he ended his musical career in early 2000 as a songwriter signed to EMI Records. Peter still has family in Montreal and Ottawa so is regularly this side of the pond! After living in NYC during the 80s he moved to London in 1986 where he signed his record deal. Peter extends a big hello to any of his old friends from the Class of 1977 and 1978.



1979

Marc Kayem is practicing facial plastic surgery and otolaryngology in Beverly Hills. He is also a team physician for the Los Angeles Kings and as such took part in last year's Stanley Cup celebrations. He is seen here with his wife Erin.



1989

Scott Stevens invited family and friends over to a barbecue and surprised them with a wedding. The marriage to Kathleen Perron took place on July 21, 2012.



1998

In October, **Carl Michaelson** was named head coach of the SUNY Canton Kangaroos men's ice hockey team, which is in its debut year as an NCAA Division III team.



enthusiasm that I enter SUNY Canton as its first head coach participating in the NCAA," Carl wrote to us. "The experience I had at Stanstead College was certainly a major catalyst in leading me into my playing and coaching career. The friendships and lasting connection I have with the College have been nothing short of positive, and it is equally exciting to see what other players and coaches have accomplished through their own experiences from Stanstead."

Carl singled out former boys head coach Mike McNamara for his "incredible job" putting the program on the map and having a positive influence on his career.

"Now James Rioux is putting his stamp, which is evidenced by the work ethic and care he puts into each of his players

Carl was most recently assistant coach at his alma mater Hobart College and was a member of the coaching staff when it won its second ECAC West Championship.

"It is with great pride and

Alumni and friends got together at the Old Town Bar on October 17, 2012. From left to right seated: standing: Steve Markowitz 2007, friend, Rebecca Nienkamper 1983, Michael Wolfe, Mike Bonaro 2005, Hilda Lui 2005, Sol Lee 2004, Andrew Ma 2005, Tom Perretta 2006, AJ Nelson 2006, Emilie Gamache 2011, Eli Birge 2007 and Rob Perretta 2004.



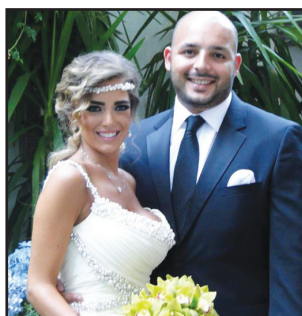
Bert Titcomb 1951 with his grand-daughter Christina and her son Logan in Calgary this past June.

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and furthering their future in hockey and education. I look to do a lot of the same in leading SUNY Canton into national prowess of Division III College hockey," he wrote.

1999

Nader Al-Ajami married Alia Malas on July 21, 2012. They live in Riyadh, Saudi Arabia.



2003

Nathalie Lussier married Robin Li on August 18 at the Legends Estates Winery at Niagara-on-the-Lake. Her maid of honour was Caitlin Downing (2002), with other SC guests including Judy Lee (2003) and John Lim (2003). Nathalie recently moved from Toronto to New York where she has started Nathalie Lussier Media (www.nathalielussier.com). Her parents (former staff) Hélène Ledoux and René Lussier were ofcourse on hand (above).



2006

I-Fang (Yvonne) Teng writes from her home in New York that she enjoyed a small Stanstead reunion in Taiwan in early October at a dinner that included Jocelyn Kao (2004), Jessica Kao (2004), Michelle Lin (2000), Rita Chen (2008) and Ronald Chang (2004). She also met up with Cindy (2005), Freda (2008) and Scott Ou (2006) in Taichung.



2009

Jordan Wong writes: "I completed one year of Cegep at Champlain Regional College. Then I got accepted into the House of Commons Page Program, where I was one of 40 students from across Canada chosen to work in the House of Commons. I had an amazing experience meeting new people, working and learning more about the Canadian Legislative process. During all this, I began studying Economics and Public Policy at the University of Ottawa. I am going into my third year of studies now, and last April I was elected Vice President of Finance for the University of Ottawa's Economic Students Association, a student federated body that includes over 500 Economics students. Furthermore, I was also elected Treasurer for the University of Ottawa's Best Buddies volunteer program, a national charitable organization dedicated to enhancing our communities through one-to-one



Halifax



The Advancement Office hosted a reunion in Halifax at the Bitter End on October 11, 2012. Pictured above (from left to right): Andrew Leslie 2011, Brian Fluhmann 1951, Ken Osmond, Carl St. Jean 2012, Sean Fry 2012, Mike Wolfe, Lester Semon (former faculty), Bill Moffat 1972, Don McDade 1969 Elric Boisvert 2012 and Dugie Ross 1970 Pictured on left: JF Lefort 2009, Ryan Smith 2012, Alexis Tanguay 2012 and Max Daniel 2012

friendships between people with intellectual disabilities and students. The uOttawa chapter is one of the largest in Canada. Finally, I was recently selected to be on the cover of the University of Ottawa's view book which will be sent to every high school across Canada, SC included."

We already knew Alex Gagnon-Skoropad (2008) was quite the charmer (just ask Hayley Wolfe!). But the young student/entrepreneur may have made the greatest first impression of his life when he pitched his business idea to the team at Radio Canada's "Dans l'oeil du dragon."

Alex appeared on the French version of CBC's "Dragon's Den" last May looking for an investment of \$150,000 in his company MasterGatePlus Inc., which manufactures prefabricated gates for properties.

Even though he is still a student at Bishop's University (Business and Marketing), the 22-year-old had already successfully launched his business, having installed around 40 gates in the Townships and Quebec at the time of the show's airing this past spring.

Despite his relative youth, two of the members of the "dragon" team agreed to invest, on condition that he cede a 35 percent share in the company. It was more than he had hoped to surrender, but the investment was his goal going in and what he came away with.

You can find out more about Alex's business at www.mastergateplus.com.



TRUSTEE AWARDS

Normally at Baccalaureate there are two special award presentations, one for the 'Trustees' Award and another for the Young Alumni Award. The two awards essentially accomplish the same thing: recognizing individuals who have made significant contributions to Stanstead College through their actions and their enthusiasm.

But this year's recipients are rather inseparable these days in their endeavours and their interests, and so the awards were presented as one.

Ian Jackson and VJ Bala are both alumni of Stanstead College but from different eras. Ian, a townie from Ogden, graduated in 1982. VJ came to Stanstead from India via Kuwait and graduated in 1994. Ian had a highly successful career with Microsoft and Sony, rising to the position of North American VP Sales and Marketing for the Playstation group. VJ worked in the family business and then started his own company, Hey Jute, which produced eco-friendly jute products.

What the two men have in common is a love for the environment and a vision to create a business model around the idea of producing eco-friendly products. They also had this school in common. In fact, the two met at a Stanstead reunion in Toronto, got to talking and, before long, had created YUP Inc., a Toronto-based company dedicated to developing and providing environmentally responsible lifestyles and applications.

Great accomplishments. But having Stanstead in common, the two have never forgotten their old



school, which is why they were honoured at Baccalaureate. Both Ian and VJ are directly involved with the Stanstead, VJ as a trustee and Ian as a member of the Board of Directors. They have both made significant contributions in this regard. But in the past few years, the two have gone above and beyond. They have provided a student scholarship. They have contributed new and much-needed eco-friendly furniture for the student centre. And they are the masterminds behind a novel fundraising idea, the sale of custom-made Stanstead College footstools called 'The Cube' as well as the very cool, very pod-like glowing deLIGHTs (see page 18).

It's this kind of innovative thinking – in their fundraising approach and in their approach to business – that Stanstead College loves to see in its alumni. Even more, we love it when alumni give back to their school. For their support of Stanstead College over the years, for their generosity and for their inspiration to our students and fellow alumni, the school recognized VJ Bala with the Young Alumni Award and Ian Jackson with the 'Trustees' Award of Merit.

ALUMNI & FRIENDS FUNDRAISING GOLF TOURNAMENT



2012



Thank you!

The 2012 Stanstead College Alumni & Friends Golf Tournament at Dufferin Heights Country Club was another great success. The event raised **over \$28,000** for our scholarships and bursaries.



*Congratulations to the tournament winners:
Danny Martin, Guy Ouellet,
Don Allard and Richard Aubé*

*Thanks to all the players
who joined us for the day.*

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ENGRAVED IN CHROME: THE WHO'S WHO OF SC TROPHIES

Each year, at various athletic assemblies and at Baccalaureate, the school presents dozens of medals and trophies, many of them with names that have rung through the years. But with the passing of time, the people behind those names have begun to fade from memory. Here, then, we present a few of Stanstead College's athletic trophies and the stories of their namesakes.

William (Bill) Greenshields Memorial Trophy

For excellence and leadership in Cross Country Running

First presented in 1981 to James Seviour



Donated By Douglas Mossey 1965 (Grade 9) at the request of teacher Peter Boyd. Besides being a fine track athlete, Billy played quarterback for the College team and excelled at hockey. Family difficulties compelled him to leave halfway

through his second year at the College in 1964-65. He went on to work in Montreal where he rose to become vice-president of Pepsi Cola Canada. He died in a car accident on his way home to the West Island in the seventies.

Bess Ferguson Trophy

For all-round excellence and sportsmanship in Girls Basketball

First presented in 1982 to Nadia Bakir



Bess Ferguson (nee Hubbell) 1900-1979 was the wife of J. Douglas Ferguson, a trustee from 1935 - 1981 (chairman 1950-52). She assisted with the girls hockey program in 1934. She was at McGill at the same time as Alice Amaron,

wife of Principal Amaron.

The Merle Griffin Trophy

For All Around Excellence and Sportsmanship in Girls Soccer

First presented in 1982 to Nadia Bakir

Merle Griffin (front, far left) was at Stanstead College until 1953 (Grade 10). She won the Alice Amaron Trophy for



individual girls track in 1951, 1952 and 1953. She also played basketball and soccer and won the Trophy for General Proficiency in Girls Athletics in 1953.

Dawes Trophy

For all-round excellence and sportsmanship in Hockey

First presented in 1965 to James Gordon

Donated by the Dawes family, which was connected with the Dow Brewing Company in Quebec City. Sid Dawes was a student here in 1968-69.

The W.A. Ketchen Trophy

For all-round excellence and sportsmanship in Football

First presented in 1963 to James Ball

Possibly a friend of Headmaster Ed Cayley from New Brunswick.

The Thomas Johnson Memorial Trophy

To the all-round senior boy athlete of the year

First presented in 1942 to Kenneth Jenkins and James Poapst

Donated by the "Old Boys" in memory of Tommy Johnson, a student from 1929-1933 (back, second from right). He was an outstanding athlete in football and basketball. He died while studying dentistry at McGill.



Sheila Ferguson Shield

To the all-round junior girl athlete of the year

First awarded in 1993 to Sarah Channell

Sheila Ferguson was from East Angus and played soccer, basketball, hockey, track. She won the Alice Amaron Trophy for individual track championship for girls 1949-50, the year she graduated (Grade 11). She returned to Stanstead to head up Girls



Athletics in 1953-54, where she coached junior and senior girls basketball before moving on to Noranda High School.

Sam Abbot Shield

To the all-round junior boy athlete of the year

First presented in 1950 to Robert Pugh



Sam Abbott was from Stanstead and a student at the College from 1936-1940, where he excelled in football, basketball and hockey. In 1939, he scored every point in SWC's 21-1 victory over Lower Canada College. After Stanstead,

he joined the navy and, in 1944, was a member of the Navy Combines when they won the Grey Cup. He returned to Stanstead to become the school's first director of athletics in 1945. In 1950, he coached the senior boys basketball team to its first ever provincial championship, winning the Visser Trophy. He left SWC in 1952 to become athletic director at BCS, where he remained until 1975. He died in March 2000.

Bowman Hall Award

For Scholarship and Athletics

First presented in 1982 to Chris Racicot

Dr. Bowman N. Hall (Class of 1931) was heavily involved in athletics at Stanstead and went on to study at East Michigan on an athletic scholarship.

Senator C.B. Howard Cup

Senator Charles B. Howard, an alumnus and trustee of Stanstead College (1885-1964), was born in Smith's Mills (Tomifobia). He was elected as the Liberal Member of Parliament for Sherbrooke in 1925, 1926, 1930 and 1935 and was appointed senator in 1940 by Prime Minister Mackenzie King. He was also mayor of Sherbrooke from 1950 to 1951. Domaine-Howard Park in Sherbrooke was his family home, and the family owned Howard's Island, now Province Island, on Lake Memphremagog. While at Stanstead College, Senator Howard played rugby (football). In 1914, his team lost 22-2 against BCS. In 1962, he donated a trophy for the annual football competition between the two schools, to be awarded to the team that scored the most points in the two games in any one year. It was awarded for the first time on June 15, 1963. Stanstead won eight years in a row between 1966-1973. More recently, after four straight years of victory, Stanstead lost the Howard Cup to BCS last year, playing



For the second year in a row, the Stanstead College tennis team placed first in ETIAC. In addition, the team placed second at the highly competitive Selwyn House Tournament in Montreal.

"Stanstead was a force to be reckoned with this year and I am proud of both the students' skills and their attitude," wrote coach Christian Williams in the Spectrum. "Some players were so keen they came to practice at six in the morning and many remained after practice to continue playing. It was clear they were passionate about tennis."

The Tennis Shield was shared this year by Joey Champigny and Mélina Boudreau (above).

only a single match against the Lennoxville team at the end of the season. The 7-6 result was the Spartans' only loss of the year. Stanstead did not have a chance to reclaim the trophy this year as BCS did not field a football team.

Donald Ross Trophy

for Senior Boys Rugby

First presented in 1992 to Alvaro Porres.



Raised in Montreal West, Donald Ross attended Stanstead College from 1932 to 1934. He attended Queen's, where he played hockey and earned his BA in Economics. As a member of the Canadian Grenadier Guards, he was wounded and lost a leg in 1944 when the tank he was in was hit. Back in Montreal, he rose to the position of vice-president of Canada Starch Ltd. Donald became a trustee in 1969 and was chairman of the executive committee in 1972-73 and chairman of the board from 1980 to 1987. He was one of the initiators of the Howie Meeker Hockey School at Stanstead. Son Dugie (1970) and grandsons JD (2000) and Peter (2003) also attended Stanstead. He died in 1992.

Thank you!

Each year many of you make Stanstead College one of the charities you choose to support. For that we are most grateful.

Founders' Club
(\$10,000+)

*Peter & Sue Ashworth
Stephen Carden 1977
Eric Fafard
Mary Lillian Elliot Trust*

Trustees' Club
(\$5,000 - \$9,999)

*Judith & Jonathan Cowen 1972
The Zeller Family Foundation*

Headmaster's Club
(\$2,500 - \$4,999)

*Susan Fitzpatrick
Roger & Louise Hamel
Ching-Hsing Hsu & Su-Wen Wang
Ian Jackson 1982
Stanstead College Student Fundraising
Top Marks*

Tallman Pitcher Club
(\$1,000 - \$2,499)

*Georges Beaubien 1968
Sylvain Bleau & Marie-Chantal Lemonnier
Ching Chan & Hui-Yu Chou
Peter Daniel 1954 & Sylvie Benoit
Martin Greenspon 1949
Jackman Foundation
Hua-Chuan Li & Sun Ching Hung
Douglas McEwen 1976
Rebecca Nienkamper 1983
Frederick Pugh 1952
Richard Renaud
J. Dugald Ross 1970
Joel Segal 1975
C. Ronald Spaulding
Shao-Wu Tang & Lian-Fiang Wang
Joyce (Thomas) Halpin 1938
Kim Thomassin
Chang-Jeng Wang & Hsiang-Hua Ten
R. Howard Webster Foundation
Michael T. Wolfe*

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PUTTING IN THE WORK

Success, we tell our students, comes only if you do the work. Natural ability is a gift, but without effort you risk squandering your talent.

It's a rule that applies to all aspects of life - in the classroom, on the athletic field, in the workplace and in home life. You need to put in the work to reap the rewards.

Each year, we ask our alumni, parents, colleagues and friends to do the work of supporting the Stanstead College Annual Fund. We call on them to make a commitment to support their school. We ask them to take the time to fill out the form and send a cheque. And we encourage them to do their part to enhance the gift our students enjoy, that of a superior Stanstead College education.

By working to support the Annual Fund, you help students develop their talents and discover new ones. You do this by actively contributing to the close to \$1,000,000 that Stanstead College provides in financial assistance every year or by supporting enhancements to programming, such as new team uniforms, travel to tournaments, athletic equipment, departmental purchases, new musical instruments or school trips.

What's your reward? Developing young men and women who are ready to face the rigours of university life and who have the skill set to manage the challenges of the limitless world before them. They work to succeed; you help build that success. Together, we build the future.

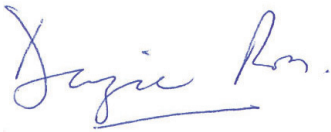
I hope you will take inspiration from this issue of the *Red & White* as we list those who chose last year to do their part to encourage Stanstead College and its students. You can join this year's support team by making a tax-deductible donation to the

Giving

Annual Fund using the enclosed reply form. You can also donate over the phone by calling (819) 876-7891, ext. 225, or online through the "Advancement & Alumni" section of the website at www.stansteadcollege.com. You can designate your gift to scholarships and bursaries, athletics, special projects or the greatest need.

Help us demonstrate to our students that a little effort goes a long way. Please support the Stanstead College Annual Fund.

Thank you,



Dugie Ross
Director of Advancement

"Being at Stanstead has given me many opportunities to explore and do things that I may not have had the chance to do



if I were somewhere else. I have gained a great deal of valuable life lessons, knowledge and many great friendships. Not only have I learned from other people, but I have had the chance to discover myself and grasp a better understanding of who I am, and who I would like to become in my future."

- Emily Norris, Grade 11, Ogden, Quebec and recipient of the 2012 Faculty-Staff Award. Emily was one of the school's Habitat for Humanity

volunteers that worked in Mexico over her March break.

Major S Club (\$500 - \$999)

Anonymous (2)
Dominic Besner 2002
Christopher Clegg 1980
Denis Clermont & Nathalie Brazeau
Andrew Davies
Solange, Tatiana & Lucien Dugas
Paul & Dorothy Duncan
Guy Gagnon & Josée Noel
Eric Gosselin & Vanessa Dumoulin
David Gray
Meredith Hayes 1964
Robert Hogan
Sean Ingutia 2006
Eric Langevin & Audrey Martel
Luc Larrivee & Elizabeth Houde
Joseph Levy 1969
A. Bruce McKelvey 1967
John Rau
Joanne Ross
Peter & Maria Savory
Robert Scobie 1994
Lester Semon
Alta Sheldon
Catherine Van der Linden
Geoffrey Wagner 1971
Philip Webster

College Club (\$250 - \$499)

9220-5384 Quebec
Anonymous
Robert Archambault
Eunice Baldwin 1943
Brenda Bartlett & Anatole Desiatnyk
David Beasse 1959
Georges Boissé & Céline Villemure
Angela Cabana
Carmen Campbell
Martin Cardinal & Marie-Eve Brunet
Edward Cayley
L. Eleanor (Cooper) Stalker 1934
Karen Cushing-MacPherson
Francois de Sainte Marie
Andrew & Barbara Elliot
John Emms 1984
Peter Farwell 1956
Hélène Hamel
Stanley Holmes 1953
James Houghton 1958
Sydney John Isaacs
Garth Jackson 1947
Rosalie (Kasowski) Wilson 1990
Sarah Madew

Andrew Martin 1944
Michel & Kimberly Martin
Christian Meighen
J. Harrison Monane
John Moses
Austin Frank Murphy 1964
John Nadeau 1977
Collège Notre-Dame des Servites
François Paradis 1992
Michael Peirce 1973
Angelo Perrotta & Antonietta Altieri
Roots Fitness Inc.
Merlyn Royea 1954
Bertram Titcomb 1951
Joe Vaitekunas 1976
An & Brigitte Van Exe
Bruce Walker 1971
Christian Wells

Red & White Club (<\$250)

Céline Amdur-Gaboriault
Nancy Amos
Thomas Andrews 1969
Anonymous (4)
Marjorie Astle
Maida Benoit
Gwen Berry 1948
Louis Bergeron
John Peter Bochene 1970
Claude Bourgouin
Betty Boyd 1955
Amy (Bradford) Bessey 1952
Ronald & Sandra Bridgeman
Gordon Brooks 1958
Nancy (Butters) Pacaud
Neil & Eleanor (Duffy) Campbell 1944
Bruce Cappell 1970
Isabelle Caron
Joanne Carruthers
Janet Cass 1958
Charles Cavell 1961
Graham Chandler
Edgar Clark 1938
Clarence Copp 1951
E. Stewart Cowen
Robert Cowling
Maud Curtis
Jacques de Billy
Stéphanie Delorme
Christiane & Kailynn De Vel
John Douglas 1965
Dorothy & Paul Duncan
Susan Einhorn & Michael Quinn



CLASS OF 2012 DESTINATIONS

Of the 43 students in the 2012 Grade 12 class, 39 received acceptances to four-year universities. Four were accepted at two-year colleges.

- 90% of the class will attend four-year college or university
- 5% of the class will attend a two-year college
- 35% of the graduating class accepted offers from Ontario
- 23% of the graduating class accepted offers from the USA
- 12 students accepted offers from Maritime universities
- 3 students accepted offers from Quebec universities
- 1 student will be pursuing studies in Switzerland

The grads received a total of 47 scholarship offers valued at over \$1 million.

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INVESTMENT CLUB XASHES IN

To an outsider, it may not have looked like much of a club: a small group of students sitting with a teacher, looking at papers and computer screens, talking numbers and percentages, not doing much of anything really. But they were doing something amazing: they were making money.

Or at least they were trying to. This was the Investment Club, which ran for 22 years under the guidance of teacher Andy Elliot. Mr. Elliot retired in 2010 and so did the Investment Club after a long and occasionally fruitful run.

The club began in the fall of 1987 with a goal of educating members in the various aspects of stock market investing, including the potential risks and benefits. This wasn't a theoretical simulation. Club members had to purchase shares in the club and decide as a group how they would invest.

"Initially, you bought in at the start of September and liquidated on March 31," recalls Mr. Elliot. "It could either be a great day or a terrible day. I thought, 'This is ridiculous.' So from then on, the kids had the option of liquidating at the end of the year or staying in. If your assets grew over the years, it made for more interesting investment."

The Investment Club did have some success. As mentioned in a 1989 *Montreal Gazette* feature on investment clubs, the Stanstead College club earned a 25 percent return in six months.



"We weren't buying Google stock. We were buying lower-valued shares that were more friendly," said Mr. Elliot, "something you could buy 200 shares of at \$5 a share. Besides, what's the fun of buying BCE stock and watching it sit there?"

This past spring, Mr. Elliot liquidated the remaining investments and officially terminated the club. At closing, there were 53 active members - most of them long-since graduated - with investments valued at \$40.64 per club unit. By comparison, the share price in September 2000 was \$92.50. So goes the market...

The school is now in the process of tracking down those outstanding investors, many of whom have opted to "invest" back in Stanstead College by donating their shares.

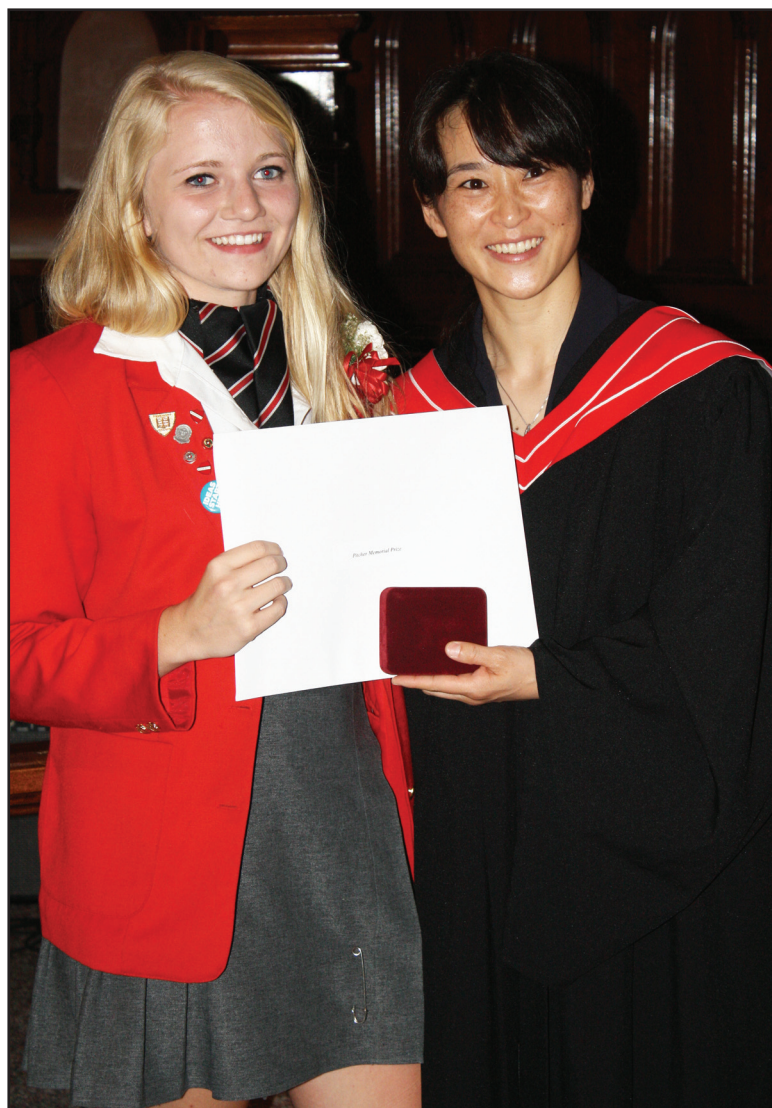
Amer El-Malak 1993
Tracey Emms 1982
Bridget Fetterly
Andre Fluett
Mario Frechette
Joseph & Estelle Gaboriault
Marie-Josée Gaboriault
Robert Gaboriault
Nicholas Galambos
Serge Gamache & Sonia Laplante
Robert Gasco 1960
Janet (Gatehouse) Kavanagh 1949
Pierre Geoffroy 1977
Martin Gerrard 1957
Patricia (Gerrie) Ackman 1955
Lawrence 1951 & Della (Rediker) Goodsell 1950
John & Sherry Gribbon
David Gross 1949
Frederic Harvey
Eryn Hessian
Gerald Hogan 1948
Daniel Houghton 1960
Ross Hunting 1943
Ann & Walter Kasowski
Ana-Maria Kelly 1985
Marion (Kelly) Dodd 1947
Irene (Kerr) Corbiere 1953
Chester & Penelope Kocik
Gordon Kubanek
Audrey Langlois
Vincent Lecompte Noel
Claude & Micheline Lemay
Karin Lenz
Steuart Levell 1954
C. Gordon Lindsay 1942
Nancy (Love) Brown 1957
John Mackenzie 1970
Robert MacIntosh 1940
Suzanne Marrotte
Kenneth Matheson 1961
Sharen McDonald
Sylvain McDuff
Gordon McGilton 1949
Charles McIntyre
Kathleen (McIntyre) Smith 1943
Michael McRae 1976
Margaret (Mitchell) Krug 1944
Ann Montgomery
Joyce Montgomery
Guy Moore & Diane Dufour
Elizabeth (Moore) Copp 1954
Guy Murnaghan 1975
Nelson Murphy
Ross Murray
William Murphy 2007

John Nichol 1955
James Ogden 1970
William Palmer 1967
Isabelle (Paradis) Gatliffe 1989
Alex Philip 1957
John Philip 1951
Kevin Philip 1980
Jacques Picard 1978
Chris Planetta
Peter Allan Poapst 1940
Harold Potter 1965
Jean-Jacques Prevost
Nancy (Pugh) Graham 1954
Paul Quattrocchi 1969
Anne (Quintin) Akita 1955
Sandra Rau
Richard J. Renaud
Keri Reynolds 1990
Donna Richter
Lucie Roy
Marie-Eve Simard
Howard Smith 1959
Lisa Smith
Peter & LeeAnne Smith
Norman & Anna Southward
Ian Starrak 1960
Jeff Standage
Richard St. Dizier
Millicent (Struthers) Pratt 1950
Gordon Stuart 1946
Daniel Sylvestre & Johanne Lambert
Merna (Ticehurst) Dutil 1949
Margaret Tirrell
Wayne Tunney
Thomas & Shirley Vador
Oleg Vydykhan 1986
Harry Walker 1947
John Walker 1965
Scott Waugh 1970
David Williams 1972
Gerald F. Wilson 1947
Philippa (Wiser) Lynn 1950
Roderick Wisco
Brian Woods

Gifts in Kind

Andrew Blair & Barbara Wilkinson
Nathalie Brazeau
Carmen Campbell
Joanne Carruthers
Denis Clermont
Peter Daniel 1954 & Sylvie Benoit
Andrew Davies
Dominion Granite (1953) Inc.
Barbara Elliot

THE OPPORTUNITY TO THINK DEEPLY



Four questions centred around the past, present and future were the focus of the address by Akiko Fujimoto Watanabe (1993) at this year's Baccalaureate and Prize-Giving Service.

A graduate of Queen's and Yale and currently an Associate Professor of Finance at the University of Alberta, Ms. Watanabe hoped that the questions would help the Class of 2012 put their Stanstead experience to good use.

The first question was: Do you remember why you chose to come to Stanstead?

For Ms. Watanabe, the seed was

planted by a teacher at the Suzuki Music School in her home town of Matsumoto. Mrs. Neufeld was from Montreal and spoke passionately about her daughter's studies at Stanstead College. Ms. Watanabe's mother was most excited of all, having dreamed of her children studying abroad.

"Soon after my mother found out about Stanstead, our house was filled with all the materials she requested from the school," recalled Ms. Watanabe. "I used to read the Stanstead brochure and watch the Stanstead video over and over again, and ask questions to Mrs. Neufeld about how my

life would be at Stanstead."

Mrs. Watanabe urged the students to recognize the important role their parents played in providing them the opportunity to obtain the best education possible in a safe environment like Stanstead College.

"I hope we can turn our gratefulness into a positive drive and work harder to make people around us happy," she said, also singling out teachers for their efforts and dedication.

The second and third question she asked together: What was the biggest challenge you faced during your years at Stanstead? And what was the most valuable thing that you attained from your life at Stanstead?

For young Akiko, the challenge was language, making it difficult at first to make friends and study effectively.

"Perseverance was the key to overcoming this challenge. I started by looking up almost every word in my textbooks. Over time, the number of times I needed to rely on a dictionary declined and by the time I graduated from Stanstead, I did not feel that my language was a setback to me in any way."

The greatest value of Stanstead, she said, was the opportunity to think about herself deeply, to analyze strengths and weaknesses objectively and consider how those strengths could be put to the best use.

"To make a significant step forward in our lives, we sometimes need to put ourselves through a period of intensive learning," she said, "and I believe this is what all of us did during our years at Stanstead. That is, by choosing to

be here, we forced ourselves to be at the steepest point of the learning curve. This decision led to many new challenges, but also produced many rewarding experiences, which are both equally important to create a strong foundation in us."

The final question was: Where do you see your life going for the next 20 years?

Recalling her own path into the field of economics, Ms. Watanabe said the principles learned at Stanstead College help manage the times when you feel overwhelmed or uncertain.

"At Stanstead, our everyday life is filled with a series of activities - a morning assembly, classes, sports, study hours, and additional club activities. And through such intensive daily routine we learned to be self-reliant, self-disciplined and to possess good time management skills... The Stanstead life had helped me foster my interest in world issues and a good sense of intuition to understand them, by giving me an opportunity to meet friends from all over the world. All of my friends at Stanstead introduced me to their countries, their histories, their cultures, their values and their views, and I learned how precious these things are to our life."

In closing, Mrs. Watanabe urged the graduates to have passion and find joy in what they do.

"Be healthy and have peace in your mind," she said. "I also hope that you surround yourself with good people who will care for you and make your life fulfilled."

*Pierre & Michelle Emond
Ray Fabi
La Feuillantine de Stanstead
Cynthia Fish
Eryn Hessian
Jacob Hochstrasser-Borsari
Clement Jacques
Adam Lock
Stephanie May
Yvan Ronsse
Lisa Smith
Peter & LeeAnne Smith
YUP Inc*

Pat Burns Arena

*Robert & Kathleen Alger
Anonymous
Robert Archambault
Georges Beaubien 1968
Jean Bourassa & Odette Megre
Monty Coulombe
Robin Burns
James Campbell
Sheldon Caplan 1972
George F. Carter
Mary Clarke
Top Marks / 172643 Canada Inc.
Autobus G. Ashby Inc.
Caisse Desjardins de Stanstead
Power Corporation of Canada
Construction Goudreau Inc.
Derusha Supply Inc.
Réjean Lafleur & Judith Laflamme
GlobalExcel
Edvance Software Inc.
Royal Bank of Canada
Campbell, Bellam & Associes Inc.
Genivar
Boston Bruins
Pepsi Bottling Group
Judith & Jonathan Cowen 1972
Karen Cushing-MacPherson
Peter Daniel 1954 & Sylvie Benoit
Kenneth Eryou 1983
Timothy Eryou 1985
Estate L. Stuart Webster
R. Howard Webster Foundation
RBC Foundation
Banque Scotia
Marie-Josée Gaboriault
Ronald & Beverley (Gibson) Goodsell 1958
John Goodfellow 1950
Louise & Roger Hamel
Kelly Holmes-Schoolcraft*

Erin Holmes Coates
 Ian Jackson 1982
 Joseph Levy 1969
 Sara Levy
 Sam MacCallum 1980
 Steven & Frances Mantle
 Young-Joon Oh 2000
 Ville de Stanstead
 Stanstead College Student Fundraising
 Marc Bouchard
 IGA Stanstead
 La Fondation Martin Brodeur
 Marché Patry & fils
 Mario Cecchini
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 Paula Binney
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 Me Valerie Moreau
 Lillian Burns
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 Louise Buzzell
 Julie Mueller
 Carolyn Prime
 Hugette Grenier
 Groupe CANAM
 Philippe Dutil
 Noella Hannan
 Jean Goudreau
 Sports Marketing Group
 Robert & Robin Ogilvie
 Clifford Perlman 1985
 David Riddle
 Stanstead College Association of Teachers
 J. Dugald Ross 1970
 Joanne Ross
 Rotary Club of the Boundary
 Joel Segal

FACULTY & STAFF DEPARTURES

Sarah Elliot

An alumna of the College and the daughter of two former faculty members, Ms. Elliot returned to Stanstead College last year to teach, coach and serve as the Assistant House Director of our junior girls residence. She is currently pursuing a Science degree at Memorial University in St. John's, Newfoundland.



Adam Lock

After one year as our school librarian and making the library a welcoming, user-friendly and effective learning centre, Mr. Lock is now teaching at Concordia University.



Karl Bélair

Mr. Bélair served as school counsellor from 2009 until the end of the past school year. He and his daughter Coralie have moved to Hamburg, Germany where he is working as a guidance councillor at the International School of Hamburg.



Milène Boudreau

After six years as nurse in the Health Centre, Milène is now working in Montreal as a liaison nurse at Le Phare, a private palliative care/respite house for children.



Jason and Meghan Corcoran

The Corcorans joined the Science faculty in 2009. Meghan ran Colby House, coached and introduced dance to the curriculum while Jason took on anything and everything that he could – varsity football, JV hockey, golf and Bugbee House. Son Jasper joined our community in 2011. The two have returned to their native Sudbury, Ont. where Jason is earning his PhD at Laurentian University.

Hélène Hamel

As Capital Campaign Director for the past four years, Hélène had a major role in the construction of the Pat Burns Arena and for raising considerable funds in support of endowment. Moreover, the great relationship the



College is now enjoying with the Town of Stanstead is due in large part to Hélène's vision, whether it was organizing the New Year's Eve galas or campaigning to get Stanstead into the final round of the CBC Kraft Hockeyville contest. Hélène is now working for the town, coordinating its membership as a Village Relais.

Suzanne Savoie

After two years working in Admissions, Suzanne has moved back to Montreal with younger daughter Olivia, where she plans to start her own educational agency. Older daughter Sarah is still at the College.



Claude Bourgouin

After more than 30 years at the College – the last 11 in Maintenance after many years of service in the College kitchen – Claude retired in June.



Graham Chandler

Mr. Chandler began his second tour of duty at Stanstead in 2007 and he filled out his resume again by teaching, heading up both Davis and Bugbee House, serving as Humanities Department head, Admissions Associate, Assistant Director of Athletics and head coach of our varsity boys soccer and JV hockey teams. Mr. Chandler has taken on the position of Head of Player Development for Soccer Nova Scotia.

FACULTY CHANGES

André Simard

Having served as Director of Athletics since 1996, Mr. Simard transitioned one office over to head our Humanities Department. "For the past 16 years, Mr. Simard has led an athletic program that is renowned throughout the independent school world for its high quality, its commitment to sportsmanship and its promotion of the right values regarding competition, personal development and fair play," said Headmaster Wolfe at Baccalaureate. "Thank you, André, for your many years of dedicated service."



*Kenneth Shales 1967
Lisa & Kimball Smith
Richard St. Dizier 1960
Harvey Stevens 1974
John Walker 1965
Emily Webster
Mary Webster
Philip Webster
Stuart Webster
Christian Wells
Christian Williams
Michael T. Wolfe
Joung Ju Yoon & Hyunmee Sun*

Campaign Stanstead

*Tracey Emms 1982
R. Howard Webster Foundation
Barry Gallant
W. John Mackay 1952
Suzy McDonald 1995
John Moses
John Nadeau 1977
Zubin Panthaki 1985
Amani Sawaya
Robert Scobie 1994
Hugh & Jean Thomson
Geoffrey Wagner 1971*

Calgary



Dugie Ross and Gus Haig at the Muse Restaurant in Calgary on October 2, 2012.

FORMER HEADMASTER EDWARD CAYLEY



One of the builders of today's Stanstead College, Edward Cayley passed away at the age of 90 on August 17 at Christie Gardens in Toronto.

A graduate of the University of Toronto, Mr. Cayley came to Stanstead as headmaster from Holderness School in New Hampshire in 1962, where he had been assistant headmaster. When he arrived, the College was still going through the growing pains of becoming an all-boys school. Mr. Cayley focused his efforts on raising the reputation of the school and improving its facilities. This included refurbishing several existing buildings and constructing the Amaron Gymnasium.

Mr. Cayley also established a student council and maintained strong

relationships with the students. As well, he served as president of the Canadian Headmasters' Association in 1965-66.

The school's reputation was very much on his mind when he wrote his final message to the students in the 1966 Spectrum:

"[The school's] reputation and chance for development rest heavily on what others think of its product, and that product is, of course, each one of you. In a sense you owe a good deal to your school and the best way to repay this debt is to represent it properly and to tell the story of its progress to those who are interested. The story is worth telling, for, as most of you realize by now, the school's spirit and general character are of the finest and it is turning out people who will get things, and I think the right things, done."

This work and concern did not go unnoticed. In his dedication to Mr. and Mrs. Cayley in the same issue of the Spectrum, editor Peter Sharp (Class of 1966) wrote, "Throughout his stay at Stanstead he has endeavoured to add a more personal touch between Staff and Students. Such things as inviting all classes to watch

the football games at his house each week are proof of his attempts to get to know the boys better."

The editor also singled out Mrs. Cayley for her enthusiastic support of the school teams and her assistance during the flu outbreak of 1964. "During that time, Mrs. Cayley could be seen at all times of the day and night in every House administering to those that were sick. It was much appreciated at the time, and I wish to make sure it will not be forgotten."

"I can honestly say that the school would have been a different place without [Mr. and Mrs. Cayley]," he wrote.

A back injury suffered as a submariner in the Royal Navy during World War II plagued Mr. Cayley all his life, including his time at Stanstead. Consequently, in 1966 he returned to Holderness and a less demanding position. He remained there until his retirement in 1978, at which time he returned to his native Toronto.

The funeral was held at the Church of St. James the Less in Toronto on August 23.

SHERMAN, Ruth

Class of 1936

Passed away peacefully on May 1, 2012 in St. Claire, Que. in her 95th year. Ruth was a graduate of Queen's University and Bishop's University and a much beloved teacher at Westmount High School.

NEAR, Dorothy (Walbridge)

Class of 1937

Died April 12, 2012 at the age of 94.

Wife of Harold Near (deceased), mother of Bruce (deceased). Survived by Wendy (daughter) and Jim Near (son).

HASKELL, Elgin

Class 1941

January 26, 2011

TAYLOR, William Wallace

Class of 1942

Passed away on August 4, 2012 at

the age of 85. Born in Ann Arbor, Michigan, Bill was an only child. Bill was youngest student enrolled at Stanstead College at the time and



was one of the star athletes in hockey, football, lacrosse and track. Having dual citizenship and wanting to serve the

United States, Bill lied about his age and enrolled in the United States Navy at only 17. Bill served as a gunner on the S.S. Noonday during WWII. In 1944, Bill was sent on the USS Calvert to safely bring back Marines from Japan and many other countries. After returning home, his entire career was spent with Kohler Plumbing Company as a regional sales manager. Bill is survived by his wife of 58 years, Kathryn Taylor, daughters Susan, Lindsey and Carol as well as many grandchildren.

**THORNEYCROFT, Joan
(Rowland)**

Class of 1948



Passed away peacefully on Sept 30, 2012. She was a free spirit, loved the outdoors and was captain of the women's hockey team while at Stanstead

College. She later graduated as a registered nurse in 1952, the same year she met her future husband Ken. Dear mother to three and cherished grandmother of six.

CURRIE, Kenneth

Class of 1948

Kenneth L. Currie of Easton died Thursday, May 24, 2012, at the Willow Valley Manor Retirement Community in Lancaster, Pa. He was 80. He was employed by the Dominion Paper Co. in Montreal from 1951 to 1966 after which he and his family moved to Easton. Mr. Currie retired in 1993 after 27 years with ConAgra Poultry. Survived by his wife, the former Janice Van Portway, to whom he was married

for 54 years; a daughter, Heather Adams; and three grandchildren.

JEDEIKIN, Leon

Class of 1950

Leon Jedeikin passed away suddenly on July 13, 2012 at the age of 78. A graduate of McGill University and admitted to the Bar of Quebec in 1961, he was a respected and active member of the Montreal legal community since then. Loving husband to Esti Caplan. A beloved father and adoring grandfather.

COLEMAN, Simon

Reeves

Class of 1951

Reeves Coleman passed away in Owen Sound on October 11, 2012 at the age of 77. He was predeceased by his twin brother Jack (1951). He will forever be remembered by his wife Sharon and his children Karen, Kim, Stephen and Tami.

**MORRELL, Dorothy
(Dow)**

Class of 1952

Passed away in her 75th year on November 11, 2011. Predeceased by her husband Ken, she leaves behind her two sons and five grandchildren.

GATEHOUSE, Graham

Class of 1955

May 25, 2011

GEORGE F. CARTER

Former trustee and director George F. "Nick" Carter passed away September 8 from complications of pneumonia at the Royal Victoria Hospital in Montreal. He was 90.



A valued friend of Stanstead College, Mr. Carter served on the Council of Trustees from 1988 until 2009. In that time he was also a member of the Board of Directors and served as chairman of the Property Committee.

Mr. Carter was born in England, where he received his post-secondary education courtesy of the Royal Navy and the City and Guilds College of London University in technical subjects such as Telecommunications Engineering and Radar Systems. His professional life included service in the Royal Navy and as a research officer with the National Physical Laboratory in Britain. Nick was a development officer for the team that produced the first Canadian Telecom satellite for the Defence Research Board of Canada. Finally, he worked for Industrial Development in Canada, specifically with electrical and electronic industries.

A longtime resident of Hatley, Mr. Carter was predeceased by his wife of 60 years Enid Harwood Carter and is survived by his daughter Judith Webster (Philip), grandchildren Stuart (Claire) and Emily (Johanna) and his great-grandchildren Julia, Siena and Matthew.

A funeral service was held on Sunday, September 16 at the Massawippi Union Church in Hatley. Donations in his name may be made to the Red and White Educational Foundation, Scholarship Fund, Stanstead College, 450 Dufferin Street, Stanstead, Quebec, JOB 3EO.

GREEN, Margaret (Hewson)

Class of 1935

October 2012

PATTON, Louis

Class of 1977



From Kahnawake, on May 2, 2012, at the age of 52. Beloved husband of Sally Jacco. Father to Lyle, Louie, Ann and Chuck and grandfather to Alison. Brother to Carrie, Andrew (1974), James (1979) and Cheryl (1982.)

PATTON, Cheryl

Class of 1982



From Kahnawake, on April 29, 2012, at the age of 44. Beloved wife of John Bartley. Survived by her parents: Mary and Angus Patton. Sister to Carrie, Andrew (1974), Louis (1977) and James (1979.)

PEYNADO, Margarita

Class of 1984



Margarita "Mussy" Peynado de Sanz passed away on Sunday, May 13, 2012 from ovarian cancer. Mussy attended Stanstead from 1982 to 1984 with her sister Laura "Chichi" (1985). She leaves behind her husband of 20 years, Miguel, and her three boys, Miguel, Jose Enrique and Jacinto.

Emma Hinton

Class of 2010

At the age of 19, Emma was killed in a car accident near Westlock,

JOAN MacDonald

The College's former Development Officer and resident historian, Joan MacDonald died on May 3, 2012 at the Connaught Home in North Hatley, Quebec.

Born and raised in England, Joan joined the Woman's Auxiliary Air Force in WWII, where she met and married her husband of 65 years, Flight Lieutenant Malcolm (Mac) W. MacDonald. In 1946, she came to Canada and to Stanstead, where, after raising her three children, she began working at the College. Her book, *The Stanstead College Story* (1977), is still used as the definitive history of the school and is still presented annually to members of the Six-Year Club. She also wrote *The Owl's Cry* and her memoir *Our Mornings May Never Be*.

Alberta on October 19. In memory of Emma, please consider a donation to the Frontier Animal Society, a cause to which she devoted so much time and love (PO Box 2505, Stanstead, QC, J0B 1E0).

BROWN, Nancy (Love)

Former Faculty

Born in Fredericton, NB in 1933 and died in the Aberdeen Hospital, New Glasgow, NS on September 17, 2012. Survived by her husband Harry and his children.

She received her diploma of public recreation from the University of British Columbia and later a BA from Acadia University. She began her teaching career at Stanstead

In addition to working at the College, Joan served with the Stanstead Historical Society, the North Country Hospital Woman's Auxiliary, Border Curling Club and Rotary International where she worked and traveled alongside Mac when he was District Governor.

She is survived by her children, John, Heather and Keith, two grandchildren and several nieces and nephews.

Services were held on May 16, 2012 at Christ Church in Stanstead.



College and later took a break to earn her teaching diploma from MacDonald College. She later went on to teach at Sherbrooke High School and then at Alexander Galt Regional High School when it first opened which is where she remained until her retirement in 1990. The annual Nancy Brown Girls Soccer Tournament at Alexander Galt is named in her honour.

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HOOP SCENES: HIGHLIGHTS FROM THE AMARON GYM

1938-41

Senior Girls win the newly created Stanstead County Interscholastic League in 1939 and the Eastern Townships Interscholastic League in 1940. Under the coaching of Alice Amaron, the girls play Sherbrooke and Lennoxville High Schools. In 1941, the senior boys take the honours, going undefeated in seven games.

1950-55

Stanstead Senior Boys, under Coach Sam Abbott, begin the 1950-51 season with five straight victories against Orleans, Newport, Derby and "Old Boys" and end by defeating Thetford High to win the provincial Visser Trophy. The Senior Boys win the Visser again in 1953 and 1955.

1970-71

The varsity squad, under Coach Brian Denney, goes undefeated for the first time in SC history. Known as "The Red Machine," the Spartans play their final game of the season against Bedford, Gus Haig scoring from under the basket with three seconds left in overtime to win.

1977-79

The Varsity Boys enjoy a 25-6 record in 1978-79, including a 12-0 record in ETIAC play. They repeat the undefeated ETIAC record in 1978-79 as well.

1979-80

Girls basketball returns to Stanstead College.

1989-90

Senior Boys crowned ETIAC league and playoff champs - the first playoff trophy since 1979.

1999-2000

Senior Boys win Anderson Tournament.

2000-04

Under Coach Erik Van Dyke, the 2000-01 Senior Girls with a record of 28-6 win their home invitational, LCC invitational and Bailly Tournament for the first time, and their first-ever ETIAC banner and championship. Not to be outdone, the 2001-02 squad pulls off a 20-game winning streak, win the Stanstead Invitational, BCS



While the Amaron Gym has been the scene of many great games, everyone is looking forward to playing in the new Mackay Gym pictured here.

Tournament, Montreal Independent School Tournament, Bailly Tournament and the ETIAC league banner. In 2003-04, the girls recapture the ETIAC banner and championship.

2006-08

Senior Boys win ETIAC playoff banner in '07 and league banner in '08.

2007-2009

In 2007-08, the Senior Girls win ETIAC league and championship titles, BCS, MIST and Bailly Tournaments and finish second at the McCleod provincial tournament; record of 25-4. In 2008-09, the girls repeat their ETIAC results (undefeated in ETIAC for the first time ever) and win the Stanstead and BCS Invitationals; record of 28-6.

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2012-2013 Events Calendar

Admissions Open House	December 2, 2012
Hockey Visit Days (Boys)	January 11, 2013
Admissions Open House	January 21, 2013
Hockey Visit Days (Girls)	January 30, 2013
Mexico City Reunion	February 7, 2013
Mexico City Alumni Soccer vs BCS	February 9, 2013
Toronto Reunion	April 11, 2013
Montreal Reunion	May 2, 2013
Alumni & Friends Golf Tournament	May 24, 2013

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Summer Camps 2013

Summer Language Adventure

For over 20 years, the Stanstead College Summer Language Adventure has brought together boys and girls ages 11-16 from across Quebec, Canada and around the world to learn French, English and Spanish – not just in the classroom but through outdoor activities, sports, excursions, camping, talent shows and other creative endeavours. All in all an incredible experience! Learning a second language has never been so much fun. June 30 to July 27.



Stanstead International Girls Hockey Camp & Tournament

Girls 12 to 18 have the opportunity to perfect their game in a four-day camp focusing on hockey skills, preparation and competition. Instructors include top college and prep school coaches and players. All participants play in a three-day tournament at the end of camp. August 4 -11.



New! Stanstead College welcomes Summit Hockey School Summer Camp

For boys ages 13-17 with optional lengths of stay. Experience international hockey and improve your skills with players from Russia, Europe, U.S. and Canada! High-visibility exhibition play. June 23-July 28, 2013.



New! Stanstead College Soccer Skills Day Camp

Stanstead College is now offering a soccer skills day camp to local kids who want to improve their game! Girls and boys are welcome to sign up! Camp runs in 2 different sessions week 1 for kids age 9-12 years old (July 2-6), and week 2 kids age 13-16 years old (July 9-13). Focusing on agility, strength training, technical skills, field awareness, shooting, and finishing.



For more information on any of these camps please visit our website www.stansteadcollege.com/camps.php or contact Stéphanie Delorme (819) 876-7891 ext.246.